IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application Number : 10/724,209 Confirmation No.: 9839

Applicants : Jon Elliot ADLER Filed : December 1, 2003

Title : T2R RECEPTOR BINDING ASSAYS THAT IDENTIFY

POTENTIAL BITTER TASTE MODULATORY COMPOUNDS

TC/Art Unit

Examiner: : Brannock, Michael T.

Docket No. : 67824.407522

Customer No. : **21967**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER CFR § 1.17 AND AMENDMENT UNDER CFR § 1.115

PETITION FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION UNDER CFR § 1.17

Sir:

Applicants respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time to respond to the Office Communication dated December 1, 2006.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0206 in the amount of \$60.00 for the Petition for One-Month Extension of Time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17 (Small Entity).

However, in the event that any additional fees are necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge our Deposit Account No. 50-0206.

Attorney Docket No.: 67824.407523

AMENDMENT UNDER CFR § 1.115

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 1, 2006, please amend the application as follows and consider the following remarks.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper; Amendments to the Claims begin on page 6 of this paper; and Amendments to the Abstract begin on page 10 of this paper; and Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.